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The carrying away of the railroad bridge between Matamoras and Port Jervis probably rendered still more indefinite the time when a road will be built to this place.

OUR FADED HOPES. The completion of the road was before apparently as indefinite as eternity itself, but this calamity would seem to render it still more uncertain. Every one will sympathize with the company in a misfortune which entails a loss of many thousand dollars and will exceedingly regret that so serious an impediment now exists to the completion of the long hoped for railroad.

The dogs pursued a fine doe a day this week and drove the animal over the rocks along the mountain near Roseville and she was killed by the fall. The dogs are not to blame, having probably been trained for such business, but their owners are, and should be punished for permitting them to run.

It is understood that St. Petersburg has not yet heard of Japan's latest victory. Wall Street is now offering to provide timber for a vice-presidential candidate, having faked on the main effort.

The Congressional record now being practically closed to Senator Morgan, the pages of the magazine will be doubtless utilized by that enterprising agent.

Milford, compared with many towns lying along rivers, is to be congratulated. While Port Jervis and Matamoras, near by, and towns further up the stream as well as below and many along the Susquehanna and other rivers have been devastated by floods the inhabitants of this place lie down secure in the assurance that no flood can disturb their peace and comfort.

Tragedy Averted. "Just in the nick of time our little boy was saved," writes Mrs. W. Watkins of Pleasant City, Ohio. "Pneumonia had played and havoc with him and a terrible cough set in besides. Doctors treated him, but he grew worse every day. Although we tried Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, and our darling was saved. He's now sound, and well." Everybody ought to know, it's the only sure cure for coughs, colds and all lung diseases. Guaranteed by all druggists. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

inducement for any one wishing to own property and live in a pleasant town to select this place for residence. With almost every adjunct for comfort as a dwelling place we can add that no flood alarms disturb our peace or place our citizens in danger of life or property.

Milford has been promised many good things, from small to great, but so far nearly all like the apples of Sodom have turned to ashes when plucked. At one time we had hopes of a large manufactory of essential oils, but—; then an extensive lumber manufactory was to be erected near town, but—; then several railroads centering here were to be immediately constructed, but—; The same abolition of genius which conceived these rosy projects for public benefit engineered the Matamoras railroad bridge and it now lies somewhere at the bottom of the river. Is our town voodooed by a hoodoo?

LOCAL AND PERSONAL NOTES

R. W. Smith of Palmyra drove over to town today.

A survey, made on the ice, shows that Culver's Pond covers 1000 acres.

Frank W. Cross, with the Potter Land Title Co. of Pittsburg, is on a visit here.

The ice gorge at Delaware Water Gap broke Wednesday and passed away without damage.

Hon. Everett Hornbeck of Philadelphia attended the funeral of his brother-in-law, Isaac V. Westbrook, this week.

Joseph Wallace, a leading merchant and prominent citizen of Stroudsburg, died last Sunday, aged about seventy-four years.

Almost every one will want to do some papering this spring. Ryman & Wells, in view of this, have provided a new line of wall paper, the latest styles and best prices.

Down in Monroe county, people seem to be generally selling out. There are twenty-five sales of real and personal property advertised in the Monroe Democrat this week. Does this indicate prosperity or that Monroe is a good place to get out of.

The Wyoming Valley from Pittsboro to Stroudsburg was a sea of water this week. Bridges were carried away, hundreds of people driven from their homes, and property to the value of hundreds of thousand dollars destroyed.

The floral testimonials at the funeral of Mrs. Armstrong yesterday were perhaps the most beautiful of any ever seen here on a similar occasion. The pall bearers were John Estrick, Hon. Jacob Klaar, J. H. Van Eiten, A. D. Brown, C. O. Armstrong and George Mitchell.

Regarding the Russo-Japanese situation in the Far East it can be confidently stated that the democratic party will be solidly against it.

DESIRABLE RESIDENCE

On the southwest corner of Harford and Most streets, in the Borough of Milford, Pa., will be sold on favorable terms to the purchaser. The house, comprising an open hall, sitting or reception room, parlor, dining-room, butlers pantry filled with hot and cold water, and kitchen with range, boiler, hot and cold water, etc., on first floor—six bed-rooms and a bath room with hot and cold water and other modern conveniences, on second floor—a ample garret, and storage and closet room throughout—also two large rooms, suitable for billiard, sewing and children's play-room, or other similar purposes—a good cool and dry cellar, with coal and wood compartments entirely separate therefrom, well lighted and conveniently arranged—several ob-fashioned open fire places—all latest approved open plumbing. Pleasant porches on three sides—the whole thoroughly renovated, newly painted and papered and in fine state condition. Spacious grounds surrounding, all in neat fence, with magnificent drive-way, beautiful lawn, highly cultivated garden, old fruit trees, flowers and shrubs—in central portion of the Borough, on a main street, within three minutes walk of Post office, churches and stores. Apply to or address: H. T. BAKER, Milford, Pa. March 1, 1904.

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. One dose of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral at bedtime prevents night coughs of children. No croup. No bronchitis. A Cherry Pectoral doctor's medicine for all affections of the throat, bronchial tubes, and lungs. Sold for over 60 years.

Keep the bowels open with one of Ayer's Pills at bedtime, just once.

SALE NEXT TUESDAY

Balance of Quick Estate Will Then Be Sold

The sale of the Peter A. L. Quick estate—real estate and securities—was fairly well attended on Tuesday, the 5th inst., and realized over \$5,000. Many would-be purchasers were no doubt deterred from attending the sale by reason of the bad condition of the roads and the uncertainty as to being able to cross and recross the Delaware river, consequently an adjournment was announced until Tuesday, March 15, 1904, of which notice is given in another column.

The properties remaining unsold are exceedingly valuable and should find ready buyers. The large piece known as "Manor Hall," containing about 325 acres, has been subdivided and will be sold if desired, in separate parcels. Thus those desiring a hotel property may acquire same distinct and apart from the timber lands, which timber lands are divided into two pieces, affording opportunity to buy in large or small quantity.

The heirs are anxious to dispose of all the lands in order to settle the estate and do not expect to be able to realize the full value of these properties and the sale thereof will be made if prices offered are at all within reason and such as the court will approve, taking into consideration the interests of certain minors who necessarily are to be reasonably protected.

Transplanting Native Trees

Nursery-grown trees give, as a rule, better satisfaction than those taken up from their native localities. This is principally owing to the fact that the roots of plants growing wild extend further from the stems than those raised in nurseries, when they have been once or often transplanted. Yet, with a little extra care, native trees may be transplanted successfully. Specimens growing in dry and open situations should be selected. As many and as much of the roots, especially the fine, fibrous ones, that can be dug up should be preserved, and care must be taken not to expose these to the sun and winds more than is unavoidable. The tops have to be cut back severely, removing one-half or two-thirds of all the branches, and this is best done before planting the trees. The holes should have been dug previously, and whenever practicable the trees should be taken up and planted on a cloudy or damp day.

MUCH PAINTING THIS SPRING

Paints should be bought and painters engaged early

Preparations are being made that indicate extensive improvements to town property this spring. The paint dealers and the painters are looking forward to a busy season.

A prominent paint dealer, who carries the products of one of the largest paint and varnish manufacturers of the country, stated yesterday that never before had he had so many inquiries regarding paint at this time of the year, nor had he ever known so many property owners to be contemplating painting. He was confident that the coming season would be a big one and he had put in an especially large stock to take care of his trade.

Other dealers and painters in town have had practically the same experience.

It is notable that both paint dealers and painters strongly advocate the importance of property owners figuring on their painting early, before the regular painting season opens. The reasons put forth are sound.

Early preparation, the deciding on the kind of paints, the colors to be used, engaging a practical painter, insures getting the work done on time, and having the benefit of the improved appearance of your house from the beginning of the season.

The combinations of colors used on a house are of considerable moment and should not be decided upon hurriedly. A single trimming not in harmony will often make a house an aggravation. Several paint manufacturers, appreciating the value of this feature, have an organized department of artists and architects whose sole duty is to specify good color combinations. Local dealers report that it is a common practice now for paint buyers to give them a photo or drawing of their houses to submit to paint makers for color specifications.

Another point in connection with selecting colors is that an early decision will enable the dealer to order any special colors he may not regularly carry in stock.

There is economy, too, in engaging a painter before the season rush is on. When the season is in full swing and the painter has many jobs ahead, it is often a matter of speculation when your work can be taken care of. Painting should be done early in the spring, as soon as the moisture is out of the lumber and the weather settled. The careful householder has all the details of the work arranged many weeks ahead.

Mr. Cleveland rather too ostentatiously brushes the Bryan mosquito away from time to time to convince the people that he is entirely unmindful of its attacks.

The democratic issue hunt has become such an old story and so barren of interest that the funny papers have long ago stopped trying to make jokes about it. But it is a mighty serious thing, nevertheless, for the democrats who are trying to get into office.

Loss of Flesh

When you can't eat breakfast, take Scott's Emulsion. When you can't eat bread and butter, take Scott's Emulsion. When you have been living on a milk diet and want something a little more nourishing, take Scott's Emulsion.

To get fat you must eat fat. Scott's Emulsion is a great fattener, a great strength giver.

Those who have lost flesh want to increase all body tissues, not only fat. Scott's Emulsion increases them all, bone, flesh, blood and nerve.

For invalids, for convalescents, for consumptives, for weak children, for all who need flesh, Scott's Emulsion is a rich and comfortable food, and a natural tonic.

Scott's Emulsion for bone, flesh, blood and nerve.

Image of a man carrying a large fish on his back. Text: We will send you a free sample. He says that this picture in the form of a label is on the wrapper of every bottle of Emulsion you buy. SCOTT & BOWNE, CHEMISTS, 409 Pearl St., N. Y. 5c. and 2c. all druggists.

The Cure is Lasting

How Dr. David Kennedy's latest medicine, Cal-cure Solved, Cured Mr. Edwige.

Let the people speak for themselves. "I have been cured of my trouble, and I can say that the cure is lasting. I have not had a recurrence of my trouble since I took Cal-cure Solved."

Write to the Cal-cure Company, Dr. Kennedy Row, Rondout, N. Y., for a free sample bottle. Large bottles, druggists, \$1. Write to the Cal-cure Company, Kennedy Row, Rondout, N. Y., for a free sample bottle.

The Quarles Bill

The Public Lands Committee of the Senate has agreed to vote Wednesday, March 10th, as to whether it will report the Quarles bill, to repeal the several desert land laws by which such enormous frauds have been committed. This bill will undoubtedly be reported and probably passed by the Senate. It is stated that the frauds which have occurred in the handling of western lands, could they be put in the form of dollars and cents, would make the postoffice funds appear infinitesimal in amount. Under the Timber law alone the officials of the Interior Department state that considerably over one hundred million dollars worth of timber has been lost to the government. Not all of this has been lost through actual fraud but timber land on the Pacific coast, which is the finest in the entire world, and runs between five and ten million feet per quarter section of land, has been and is still being sold under this Timber law, kept upon the statute books through the influence of speculators, for the ridiculous sum of \$2,50 an acre. A tremendous fight is promised against the repeal of these laws by the land grabbing interests, both in and out of Congress.

Give the Horses Time to Eat

When spring work begins, there is such a hurry that the temptation is great to get the horses to the field as soon as they have swallowed their grain ration and a few mouthfuls of hay. Nothing is gained by so doing. It is when the horses are first put to hard work—severe exercise takes from the digestive organs the energy needed for the digestion of large quantities of food—and put on full feed, that indigestion at this time means loss of appetite, colic, rough hide, loss of flesh and weakness later on.

COURT OF APPEALS

The County Commissioners will hold Court of Appeals in the following places on the days and dates below mentioned, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 4 p. m.: Elg Grove, Election House, March 15. Greens, " " " 17. Peimyrn, " " " 18. Lackawanna, " " " 29. Shohola, " " " 30. Westfall, " " " 31. Delaware, " " " April 5. Lehman, Bach Hotel " 6. Porter, " " " 9. Milford Boro., Court House " 11. Milford Twp., " " " 12. Dingman, " " " 13.

THEO. H. BAKER, Clerk.

More Riots

Disturbances of strikers are not nearly as grave as individual disorders of the system. Overwork, loss of sleep, nervous tension will be followed by after collapse, unless a reliable remedy is immediately employed. There is nothing so efficient to cure disorders of the liver and kidneys as Electric Bitters. It's a wonderful tonic, and effective nerve and the greatest of all round medicine for run down systems. It dispels nervousness, rheumatism and neuritis and expels malarial germs. Only 50c, and satisfaction guaranteed by all druggists.

Wyckoff's New York Store Weekly News

IT'S NEW GOODS NOW

We've done with Winter and its wearables. All our time, thought and energy is now directed toward the exploiting of fresh spring merchandise. Hosts of early buyers will learn with pleasure that every section of the store has taken on the brightness of spring. Many of you prefer making early selections for the coming season. You'll find the new lines much to your liking in every way. We'll introduce a few of the fresh arrivals.

The New Dress Goods

Always first and most important is the introductory showing of new gown goods. Need we add that we have picked from the best. Our assortment of suitings for the tailor-made style in Scotch effect is unusually strong. Many of the 50c ones have the look and style of the \$1.25 kinds but the true difference is plain to emphasize the strength and utility of the materials in blacks. In Strillians we start we start at 50c and run to \$1.75 with good picking between. This will also apply to creases. Good range of value in navy blues. Plenty of styles in the fancies, metal points and swivel weaves, nothing better than these for shirt waist suits or any other style for that matter. Laines, Estamines, Twine Cloths in plain nub yarn effects, all colors, 50c to \$1.25.

Proper Linings

It's poor economy to put a poor lining into any kind of a dress when you can buy the very best at such prices as we offer.

Embroidered Stock Collars for Women

Very popular these dainty trifles can be sold at such low prices.

Childrens Dresses

Made from plaid and plain materials, some all wool, some part cotton. Price was \$1.25 to \$1.50. All are now even 75 cents.

Some New Suits Worthy Your Attention

Want to quote a few silk specials. We believe that for the style and honest value they are above argument. If you will look at our printed Satin Foulards at 75c you'll say they equal the \$1 quality. Our yard wide black taffeta \$1 and \$1.25, with the black yard wide Peau de Soies, at the same price, make brisk silk selling. We're showing strong lines of black Peau de Soies from 50c, a 30-inch, up to \$1.25 in 27-inch. One thing worthy of special mention is our Diana silk that has the soft "eel skin" feel, so desirable in making waists and suits. Good range of colors; 30-inch, 98 cents.

Beautiful White Goods for Waists

The early sale of the white waists last season was so satisfactory that we have largely extended the assortment and you are invited to a first choice.

Special Values in Black Satin Petticoats

A clean up in this line of \$2.25 to \$3.50 and all to go at uniform price of \$1.50. Some with Muzee yoke, mostly black, some black and white.

WYCKOFF'S NEW YORK STORE

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Jump over the Counter. Don't spend 10 cents for a poorly paid clerk. We give you a man who will do the work for you. Treatments made here to those already at work in 6-8 hours. Big \$2.00!

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